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PROCLAMATION

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS COME - GREETINGS:

WHEREAS: The National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP) and the National Association of Elementary School Principals (NAESP) have declared the month of October as National Principals Month; and

WHEREAS: Principals are educational visionaries, instructional and assessment leaders, disciplinarians and motivators, community builders, budget analysts, facilities managers, and administrators of legal and contractual obligations; and

WHEREAS: Working collaboratively with teachers and parents, principals strive to develop and maintain a clear mission of high curriculum standards and performance goals; and

WHEREAS: One of the goals of the principal is to create a school environment that facilitates excellence in teaching and learning and continuous school improvement; and

WHEREAS: The vision, actions, and dedication of principals provide the mobilizing force behind any school-reform effort; and

WHEREAS: The celebration of National Principals Month honors elementary school, middle school, and high school principals, and recognizes the importance of these educators in ensuring that every child has access to a high-quality education;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ASA HUTCHINSON, Governor of the State of Arkansas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the laws of the State of Arkansas, do hereby proclaim October 2015, as

NATIONAL PRINCIPALS MONTH

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Arkansas to be affixed this 24th day of September in the year of our Lord 2015.

Asa Hutchinson, Governor

Attest:

Mark Martin, Secretary Of State